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SENT DEPARTMENT 575, REPEATED INFORMATION TRIPOLI 4, LONDON
FROM AMBASSADOR TAPPIN

Have today seen Tripoli EMBTEL 47 (repeated London 6, Paris
Concur fully Tripoli conclusions and attach particular importance
to Paragraph number 3. In this connection recall Ben Halim
comment to me after his London visit to following effect:

"After all, we are tied to British by military alliance; whereas
ties with US are confined to base agreement and economic arrange-
ments. Thus British are logical ones to provide expanded arms
assistance and training".

FOR TRIPOLI

Will be in Paris again August 6 and would appreciate having
comments of Col. Cain by letter or cable on whole subject
preparatory to talking further with EUCOM.

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